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National Intelligence Officers

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12 November 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Lehman

FROM: Assistant to the NIO/SP

SUBJECT: Recommended Additional Topic for ¹⁹22 November Briefing
of the President-Elect

Drake
Given that:

a. among the national security issues in the forefront of the President-elect's concerns is nuclear proliferation;

b. you briefed Mr. Carter on this subject in fairly general terms last August;

c. it might be prudent to at least be ready to demonstrate continuing close concern about nuclear proliferation on the part of intelligence; and

d. there is a proliferation story developing (with a potentially salubrious ending) about which it would be useful and timely to inform the President-elect;

I therefore recommend that we request Dr. Stevens to provide us with a two-page, double-spaced, back-up briefing (NSC style, of course) on recent nuclear developments in Pakistan paying particular attention to the apparent weakening of the agreement by the French to provide the Pakistanis with a nuclear fuel reprocessing plant. If Sayre sees merit in this request, he probably would look to [] (OCI) for a draft. [] has been working with others in the DDI and DDS&T on a special interoffice (and, pardon the expression, interdisciplinary) memorandum on the subject.

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Memo: I saw Sayre S. at Noon, 17 Nov 76, and he
read this and said SP - 199/76
it was a good idea. 12 November 1976
He said he would call
Cook for a 1/2 hour on this.

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